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METHOD, SYSTEM, AND APPARATUS FOR DETACHING AND COLLECTING

AN IC TAG FROM A PAPER SHEET TO WHICH IT IS ATTACHED

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Sir:

The above-referenced application was filed on May 3, 2005. The applicant respectfully requests that the undersigned attorney be informed of the status of the referenced application.

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